

THERE SHOULD BE ONLY ONE REASON FOR CHANGE—TO MAKE THINGS BETTER; OTHERWISE IT IS ONLY RECKLESS EXPERIMENTATION. — Anonymous

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Remodeling to start in fall at future facilities says BAHC

The Bethel Area Health Center expects to begin remodeling the former A&P building on Railroad Street this fall, officials said.

Expansion plans for the Health Center will include much needed new services. There will be an X-ray and casting room, which will be equipped to deal with simple fractures. Laboratory services will be expanded to deal with more complicated laboratory procedures than previously. Rental space will be available to physicians who deal in specialty care, thus saving patients from having to travel 24-50 miles in order to see a specialist.

In the six years that the Center has been in operation, its federal support has declined by 24 percent from representing more than half of its total income to a present level of less than one third. It is the ultimate goal of the Council to support the Center's medical services without dependence on federal sources. The building program will provide more services to more people allowing the Center to support its medical services locally.

Expansion is costly. In order to realize the plans for a new facility and to

minimize costly construction loans the trustees of the Bethel Area Health Center are initiating a fundraising campaign. Carolyn Holden is general chairperson of the campaign. The Steering Committee members include Steve Wight, Cathy Newell, Chris Otten, Jeff Parsons, and Sarah Craig. Dozens of people are serving on the various sub committees. Preliminary plans have been discussed and the goal of the fund raising committee is to assure that this is truly a grass roots effort and that everyone who would like to participate has an opportunity.

The committee has established a goal of \$98,000. A body temperature of 98.6°F means good health—a financial goal of \$98,000 represents a community commitment toward good health for the future. Everyone is excited to see and hear so many positive responses to the very beginning stages of the effort. It shows that this is a very responsive community with a great deal of interest in its health care.

The Health Center is a major activity of the Northern Oxford Health and Service Council. The Council is the outgrowth of the Community Welfare continued on Page Two

MSAD #44 Directors' meeting

The SAD #44 Board of Directors met in regular session on Monday evening of this week in the library at Telstar Regional High School.

The board decided to accept successful completion of a science course in summer school as credit for the 1984-85 school year. The case involved a Telstar Middle School 7th grader who was academically deficient in the subject during the regular year.

Dan Hart, Telstar guidance director, reported that 69 students are enrolled in the Telstar Summer School. Nine courses are being offered in the six week/60 hour remedial program for 8th to 12th graders of SAD #44 and other schools. Classes started on Thursday, June 20, and will end on Wednesday, July 31.

The directors approved following as summer workers: maintenance—Tommy Sweetser; custodial—Eugene Buswell, Amy Roy, Harry Stevens.

Approved as a secondary science teacher was Steven P. Keane of Wiscasset. The approval is contingent upon Mr. Stevens' re-certification by the State Department of Educational and Cultural Services. For the past two years Mr. Keane has been an environmental education instructor/leader with the Chewonki Foundation in Wiscasset, where he taught teacher recertification courses, family workshops, residential and off-site environmental education programs. Previously he had been associated with the Training Development Corporation, Job Corps Center, Bangor, for a year and a half. Other posi-



THE GIRLS OF SUMMER: Women's softball league action is in full swing, and the newly organized Bethel Brewers hosted West Paris last Friday night at the Telstar field. The home team couldn't handle the visitors—who were last year's champs—and suffered a 3-0 loss. Above, Marlene Dunn, of the

RR Museum on track

A special meeting of the Bethel Area Steam Era Railroaders was held Sunday evening. It was voted to accept the Bethel Health Center's gracious offer to utilize space formerly occupied by the liquor store, next to the Bulldog Diner on Bethel's Railroad Street, as a temporary summer site for the Bethel Area Steam Era Railroaders. If all goes according to plan, the museum will be open for the July 4 holiday.

After clean-up on Tuesday, the space will be ready on Wednesday (today) for moving the artifacts and memorabilia from Ed Quinn's residence to the museum site.

Look for advance announcement of the grand opening in this paper.

The museum is expected to be open daily, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Volunteers are desperately needed to staff the museum. Any interested parties, please contact Sandy Strickland at the RFD #1 Restaurant—824-2810.

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS AT TELSTAR HIGH SCHOOL

The offices of Telstar Regional High School will be open 6 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Thursday, June 24-Aug. 29. The offices will be closed on Fridays.

tions included: substitute teacher in the Old Town junior and senior high school; Young Adult Conservation Corps, Glasgow AFB, Glasgow, Mont.; Youth Conservation Corps, Moosehorn National Wildlife Refuge, Calais; and a crew leader at Moosehorn National Wildlife Refuge. Mr. Keane is a 1980 graduate of

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The Fabric Emporium

will be closed July 1-6
Re-opening Monday, July 8th

Linda's Country Flair

836-3929
Mon.-Sat. 8-5
Evenings by appointment
Closed Wednesday

Strawberry Festival

Locke Mills Union Church
Friday, July 5, 11:00-late afternoon
Shortcake (make your own)*
Berries ★ Crafts ★
Food Sale ★ Flea Market ★

The Hofbrau and its staff extends a hearty thank-you to the many who made our opening week such a great success.

Chris & Russ

Androscoggin River canoe race June 30

The sixth annual Maine Flatwater Canoe Championships are scheduled for Sunday, June 30, starting at the Twin Oaks Campground in Bethel and ending 20 miles downstream at Dino's Plaza in Rumford Center.

The race will start at 11:30 a.m. with registration forms available at 10:30 that morning.

Trophies will be awarded to all categories of entrants from the novice beginner to the experienced canoeist.

The mass start by class makes an interesting race for all watching. The Androscoggin River is visible from many locations on Route 2 and the Middle Intervale Road. The river winds peacefully through the beautiful western mountains. Only one location, where Bear River joins the Androscoggin, sees any white water, and that stretch is moderate.

For more information contact organizer Tim Carter, 824-2230.

BETHEL SENIOR CITIZENS

All Bethel Senior Citizens planning to go on the Lake Winnipesaukee boat cruise July 10—please contact Irene Pike, 824-2614, no later than July 1. Call between 8-10:30 a.m. or after 6 p.m. for details.

Anyone else wishing to join with the Seniors may do so. So call for you reservations as seats are available. Bus will leave the Bulldog Diner parking lot at 7 a.m. with pick-up in Bryant Pond and Locke Mills at 6:45 a.m.

All club members please be advised that the next scheduled meeting will be on Sept. 11. Time and place will be announced at a later date, so watch the Bethel Citizen.

Plans are being formulated for a dinner get-together of members on Aug. 14. Place to be announced.

Brewers, gets just a piece of the ball. The loss left Bethel with a very respectable 3-1 record, while West Paris improved its record to 4-1. The Brewers will play the Cribbage Board at the Oxford Hills Junior High field in South Paris tonight, Wednesday.

1985 sessions of NTL in full swing

Last weekend saw the arrival of approximately 260 participants and staff for the first week of NTL's 1985 summer conferences in Bethel. Seven different programs on the general theme of human resource development are being held this week at the NTL Conference Center, Gould Academy, and the Bethel Inn. In the Monday afternoon orientation session in Bingham Gym, the group was welcomed not only by NTL Executive Director Joseph Potts, but also by Melody Bonnema on behalf of both the town of Bethel and the NTL/Bethel Liaison Committee. Alvin Barth added a few words of welcome from Gould Academy.

This week also inaugurates a new season of NTL's Sunrise Seminars. These are informal 45-minute presentations by staff members, who are a changing group each week. The seminars are open to members of the Bethel community at no charge, and are held in the Main Room of the annex behind the NTL Conference Center. The starting time is 7:30 a.m., and the seminars are offered on Tuesday through Saturday of each week.

Earlier this week presentations were made by Frederick Miller, Kaleb Jamison, and Elsie Cross. The seminars for the remainder of this week include the following: Thursday, June 27, Dale Hill—"Managing Your Romantic Love Life"; Friday, June 28, Larry Richard—"O.D., Lawyers, and the Professional Service Firm"; and Saturday, June 29, Michael Broom — "Mythological/Anthropological Correlations of Racism and Sexism."

The topics for each week's seminars are being regularly posted in a number of locations around Bethel, West Bethel, and Locke Mills. Throughout the eight-week season the list of topics will be posted on Tuesdays, but persons who wish to know the topic for Tuesday may

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Greenwood facing \$2,000 increase in insurance premiums

The Town of Greenwood is facing increased insurance costs on town buildings and town vehicles. The town's insurance agent, Eugene Davis, of Western Maine Associates, in Rumford, informed the Board of Selectmen Tuesday night that the premiums on the town's buildings would be going up \$1,000, to \$3,225, and the premiums on the town's 10 vehicles would be going up \$1,100, to \$4,857.

In an effort to trim the increases, the selectmen decided to raise the deductible on the collision coverage for the vehicles, from the current \$250 to \$1,000. This will permit a savings of \$419. Mr. continued on Page Three

Woodstock says 'no' to plowing Route 232

The Woodstock Board of Selectmen, Tuesday night, rejected a proposal by the Maine Department of Transportation that the town provide winter maintenance on Route 232.

The state's proposal was that Woodstock would receive between \$2,250 and \$2,500 per mile for doing the winter work on the road. It had been established some time ago that winter maintenance on Route 232 was the responsibility of the state.

In a letter to the DOT the Woodstock board said the decision was based in part on the hassle concerning maintenance of highways in past years, and also that the Woodstock road crew has sufficient

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call the NTL Office at 824-2151 on Monday afternoon. A welcome is extended to all interested persons from the Bethel area.

Douglass' Barn Sale

Rt. 2 East, toward Rumford
The attic is stuffed
We're filled to the gills
So now we're getting rid of the frills
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NOTICE

The Bethel Area Health Center is now using an answering service for after-hour calls. When calling after hours, please wait for the answering service to answer.

BETHEL AREA HEALTH CENTER

824-2193

Mon.-Fri. 8 a.m.-5 p.m.
Monday until 8 p.m.
Saturday 8 a.m.-12 p.m.

Appointments necessary except in emergency

In case of emergency nights, weekends, and holidays call 824-2193 to reach our provider through our answering service.

Esther's on vacation!! Dr. Shaw's office on Main Street will be closed the first two weeks of July.

GAME PARTY Legion Hall - Locke Mills Every Friday - 7:00 p.m. Seated tickets

JACKSON-SILVER POST Post Meetings 1st & 3rd Thursdays 7:30 p.m.

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Open to any child from entering kindergarten to leaving 4th grade, July 8 through 12 and July 15 through 19, 9 to 3. Ethel Bisbee School, rear entrance.

•Free and nutritious labeled box lunch.

•Registration forms available Monday, July 8, at the playground.

•A small fee will be charged.

•All that is needed is a willingness to participate and an eagerness to learn through supervised games, group sports, crafts, etc.

Come for the fun!

Any questions, contact Brenda Bartholomew, 824-2209, or Maryvonne Wheeler, 824-2091.

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Office Hours

Monday - Afternoon

Opinions

Madison on religious liberty

[Early this month, the U.S. Supreme Court decided that a "moment of silent meditation," when intended to encourage or further prayer in public schools, was a violation of the First Amendment, as applied to the states through the Fourteenth Amendment. When the First Amendment was written, an "establishment" of religion meant a state-supported Church: Congress was prohibited either from establishing a national church or from interfering with state establishments where they existed. (Massachusetts was the last state to drop its established religion in 1833.) But what is the meaning of religious freedom today?]

The following remarks are taken from James Madison's "Memorial and Remonstrance Against Religious Assessments," which first circulated in Virginia in June of 1785. The Virginia Legislature had proposed a tax to support "teachers of the Christian religion," and Madison and others argued that the tax violated the principle of religious freedom. The "Memorial and Remonstrance" presents a convincing case for the principle of religious freedom. It certainly persuaded the Virginia legislature, which responded by passing the Virginia Statute of Religious Freedom in 1786.]

We hold it for a fundamental and undeniable truth, "that Religion or the duty which we owe to our Creator and the Manner of discharging it, can be directed only by reason and conviction, not by force or violence" (Article 10 of the Virginia Declaration of Rights). The Religion then of every man must be left to the conviction and conscience of every man. It is the right of every man to exercise it as these may dictate. This right is in its nature an unalienable right. It is unalienable because of the opinions of men, depending only on the evidence contemplated by their own minds, cannot follow the dictates of other men. It is unalienable also, because what is here a right towards men, is a duty towards the Creator.

It is the duty of every man to render to the Creator such homage, and such only, as he believes to be acceptable to him. This duty is preordained both in order and time and degree of obligation, to the claims of civil society.

Before any man can be contemplated as a member of civil society, he must be considered as a subject of the Governor of the Universe. And if a member of civil society, who enters into any subordinate Association must always do it with a reservation of this duty to the general authority; much more must every man who becomes a member of any particular civil society do it with a saving of his allegiance to the Universal Sovereign.

We maintain therefore that in matters of Religion, no man's right is abridged by the institution of a civil society, and that Religion is wholly exempt from its cognizance. True it is, that no other rule exists, by which any question may divide a society, can be ultimately determined, but the will of the majority. But it is also true, that the majority may trespass on the rights of the minority.

If religion be exempt from the authority of the society at large, still less can it be subject to that of the legislative body.

The preservation of a free government requires not merely that the metes and bounds which separate each department of power may be invariably maintained; but more especially, that neither of them be suffered to overleap the great Barrier which defends the rights of the people.

Who does not see that the same authority which can establish Christianity, in seclusion of all other Religions, may establish with the same ease any particular sect of Christians, in exclusion of all other Sects? That same authority which can force a citizen to contribute three pence only of his property for the support of any one establishment, may force him to conform to any other establishment in all cases whatsoever?

Whilst we assert for ourselves a freedom to embrace, to profess and to observe the Religion, which we believe to be of divine origin, we cannot deny an equal freedom to those whose minds have not yet yielded to the evidence which has convinced us. If this freedom be abused, it is an offense against God, not against man. To God, therefore, not to men, must an account of it be rendered.

Experience witnesseth that ecclesiastical establishments, instead of maintaining the purity and efficacy of Religion, have had a contrary operation.

Rulers who wished to subvert the public liberty, may have found an established clergy convenient auxiliaries. A just government, instituted to secure and perpetuate it, needs them not. Such a government will be best supported by protecting every citizen in the enjoyment of his Religion with the same equal hand which protects his person and his property; by neither invading the equal rights of any Sect, nor suffering any Sect to invade those of another.

The policy of the bill is adverse to the diffusion of the light of Christianity. The first wish of those who enjoy this precious gift, ought to be that it may be imparted to the whole race of mankind. Instead of levelling as far as possible to the victorious progress of truth, the bill with an ignoble and unchristian and timidly would circumscribe it with a wall of defence, against the encroachments of error.

Finally, "the equal right of every citizen to the free exercise of his Religion according to the dictates of conscience" is held by the same tenure as all our other rights. We the subscribers say, that the General Assembly of this Commonwealth have no such authority. And that no effort may be omitted on our part against so dangerous an usurpation, we oppose to it, this remonstrance; earnestly praying, as we are in duty bound, that the Supreme Lawgiver of the Universe, by illuminating those to whom it is addressed, may on the other hand, turn the councils from every act which would affront his holy prerogative, or violate the trust committed to them; and on the other, guide them into every measure which may be worthy of his blessing, may redound to their own praise, and may establish more firmly the liberties, the prosperity, and the Happiness of the Commonwealth.

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Fireworks returning to Bethel on Mollyockett Day

For the first time in several years, a complete fireworks show will cap off the annual Mollyockett Day festivities in Bethel, to be held Saturday, July 20.

The fireworks display, sponsored by the Bethel Inn and Sunday River Ski Area, will consist of over 100 aerial shells and a spectacular final barrage.

The day will be filled with events like the woodsmen contest and chicken barbecue sponsored by the Bethel Rotary Club and the annual parade and fiddlers' contest sponsored by the Bethel Lions Club. The Bethel Area Health Center will host the frog jumping contest and the Bethel Outing Club will host the foot races. As in the past, local organizations will set up food and crafts booths on the Village Common.

Immediately following the day's events at 9 p.m., the fireworks will start on the Bethel Inn golf course, behind the main Inn building. There will be no admission charge, but spectators will be asked to remain in designated areas and avoid the tee and green areas.

Les Otten, Sunday River president, said, "We are pleased to be able to co-sponsor this event as part of the Mollyockett Day festivities. It is another clear sign that the Bethel area is becoming one of New England's finest year-round resort areas."

Dick Raso, Bethel Inn owner, said, "This is one way for those of us involved in tourism to thank the town of Bethel residents for their support of our activities."

GOULD SUMMER SCHOOL OPENED JUNE 24

On Monday, June 24, Gould Academy opened its fourth summer session with 34 students representing eight different states and five foreign countries. Under the direction of Dr. Harry "Dutch" Dresser, Gould's assistant headmaster, and 10 faculty members the students will be challenged for the next six weeks. Designed as an enrichment experience, most students see the summer school as an opportunity to advance. That is to take a course now that will allow them to take an advanced course in the fall. Thus a student could take a year's course of algebra II in six weeks that will enable them to start calculus in the fall.

Dr. Dresser stated that this summer's school differs from those in the past in two ways. First the numbers are smaller and second there are fewer Maine students in attendance. One of the reasons for fewer Maine students is the fact that there are many low cost or free programs for gifted students already being offered. Bowdoin College, the University of Maine, the Bryant Pond Conservation Camp, and the Deer Isle Art School are only some of these programs available for high achieving students.

This year's students come from Maine, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, New York, Florida and California, and from Spain, Japan, Venezuela, France and the Canary Islands. They have enrolled in 13 different courses including two "total immersion" courses, Chemistry and English as a Foreign Language (ESL) or in a major and minor course. The major includes Exposition and Analysis (English); Writing; Humanities, Pascal (Computers); Algebra II; Studio Art; and Geometry and they meet for two hours per day. Minor courses meet one hour per hour and include Basic Programming, Black and White Photography and an English course. "Which way are we going?" Average enrollment in a class is two to four students and the pace of learning, needless to say, very rapid. This is in no way a remedial summer school for those who failed a course and to repeat so they won't fail again.

In addition to three hours of class each day, there are three hours of supervised study and extra help. A two hour and 15 minute activity period which includes swimming trips, climbing a mountain once a week, softball, volleyball, and other games round out a very full day. Classes meet six times a week with weekend trips also planned.

Anyone coming on the Gould campus for the next weeks certainly will find that academics continue to be stressed along with a lot of fun.

Notes from the Woodstock Historical Society

Maine has a political heritage we often tend to forget, but as historians we should study it with pride. Hannibal Hamlin, born not far from us, was, of course, Lincoln's (first) vice president. James G. Blaine was a candidate for the presidency. "Czar" Reed was the most famous speaker the House of Representatives has known. William Pitt Fessenden was one of the country's most respected politicians. The Washburn family was a political dynasty. Woodstock's own Sidney Perham was a governor of Maine. Margaret Chase Smith was the First Lady of Politics for many years. Edmund Muskie was a governor, senator, and secretary of state, as well as a candidate for vice president in 1968. And many of Maine's contemporary politicians are highly regarded in Washington and around the world.

The roll call is long and distinguished. If you have not read the biographies of some of our politicians, please do so. They are a proud legacy from the past.

Remember that the Woodstock Museum's hours are from 1 to 4 p.m. every Saturday. Come and browse through the Society's collections.

Upcoming on the society's calendar will be a variety show in cooperation with the grange. The society is delighted to be able to work with this organization on a joint venture.

The next meeting of the Woodstock Historical Society will feature information on the Knights of Pythias and some, Bryant Pond history.

A rehearsal for the Grand Officers will commence at 4 p.m.

A dinner for the Grand Officers, District Deputy Grand Matrons and all of their escorts will be served at the Masonic Hall, Norway, before the evening activities resume at the high school.

Summer band program

Harry Davis, Telstar Band Director, has announced the beginning of a two-part summer band program at Telstar Regional High School.

Part One is a program of private and group instruction for beginners or intermediate players. It includes the free use of a fine quality band instrument for the summer. If the student wishes to continue instruction in the fall they may rent an instrument at that time. A very nominal fee will afford each student a choice of one-half hour lesson per week or two one-hour lessons per week. Some students have already begun their lessons this week, but the main thrust of the program will begin the week after the July 4th holiday, and will continue until school re-opens.

Part Two of the program is a two-hour rehearsal every Tuesday night in the Telstar Band Room at 7 o'clock. All musicians are invited to take part in this group. Several adults, some high school students and middle school students and even some folks from South Paris and Rumford have indicated a desire to join in. The group has been invited to play for Mollyockett Day and would also like to perform some old-fashioned summer band concerts if participation is large enough.

For more details about any aspect of either program please call Mr. Davis at 824-3164 in the evening.

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS FOR GUIDANCE—TELSTAR R.H.S.

The Telstar Regional High School Guidance Office has announced its summer schedule commencing, Monday, June 24 through Thursday, Aug. 29, as follows:

Monday, June 24-Thursday, July 11: 7 a.m.-4 p.m. (Office closed on July 4 and all Fridays.)

Monday, July 15-Thursday, Aug. 1: 7 a.m.-12 (Closed on Fridays.)

Monday, Aug. 5-Thursday, Aug. 29: 7 a.m.-4 p.m. (Closed on Fridays.)

Telstar Summer School will operate simultaneously for six weeks from 7 a.m. to 12 noon, Monday-Friday, June 20-July 31. Daniel Hart, Telstar Guidance Director, will also oversee the Summer School program. All community members, parents, and students may make appointments by calling Telstar's Guidance Office at 824-2138.

HEALTH CENTER ISSUES

CHALLENGES FOR MOLYOCKETT DAY EVENTS

The time of year has come again when floats will be cruising down Main Street again on Mollyockett Day. Last year the Bethel Area Health Center bowed to the winners but once again they are issuing challenges to Gould Academy as to who will have the better float on Saturday, July 20.

The Health Center has also challenged the BEARS and TTAERS to a "nurses' race" down Broad Street. More information will be forthcoming and the Health Center will let everyone know if the challenges have been accepted.

This year the Center will hold their third annual frog jumping contest so Dads and Moms don't forget to go frog hunting on Friday, the day before Mollyockett Day, and enter your child in the contest. Songo Pond is the favorite hunting ground for big healthy frogs.

In addition to the above the Center will be having an ice cream smorgasbord, a volleyball tournament and a booth with bolo tie back machines. Watch this paper for further details and let us get involved in this community effort.

Bethel Inn golf

Ladies' League results: net 28, team of Sue Crane and Missy Raso; net 31, teams of Bren Matthews and Pat Hudson, and Louise Morton and Anne Moran; net 34, Connie Thurston and Barb Stevens.

Men's League results: Quota winners + 5½ Dexter Stowell, + 3 Cliff Hillier, + 2½ (tie) Bob Myers and Frank Rand. Junior Quota division - Darren White + 2, Chris Craig + 7. By captain, league standings after three weeks: P. Matthews 19½, C. Keoskik 18½, J. Morton 16½, B. Myers 13½, R. Moran 11½, P. R. 10½.

Couples League—Scotch Ball: (28) tie between Stub Wheeler-Bren Matthews and Ray Moran-Anne Moran; 2nd at 32 were Amy and Irv Farrar.

Sunday Scramble results: 32, Bob Marchildon, Darren White, Bob Tapley, Sue Crane; 33, John Morton, Amy Farrar, Chris Craig, John Tapley; (tie) 34, Jim Morin, Carol Morin, Nancy Cross, Jerry Perkins, and Don Roberts, Anne Moran, Irv Farrar, John Stoner.

There will be no leagues the week of July 4 but there will be a July 4 Flag Tournament along with the regular Sunday Scramble.

NORWAY OES TO ENTERTAIN GRAND FAMILY OF MAINE SATURDAY, JUNE 29

Oxford Chapter #168, Norway, will host the Grand Family of the State of Maine, on Saturday, June 29, 7:30 p.m. at the Oxford Hills High School gymnasium, South Paris.

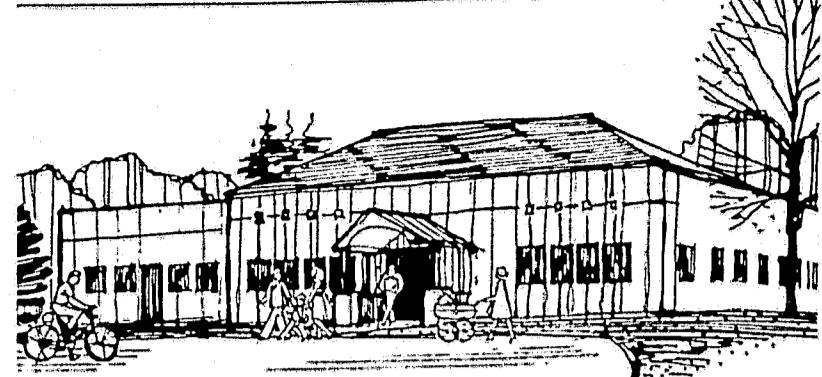
Worthy Matron and Patron Sandra and Stephen Roderick would like to welcome all members of the order. The special meeting will enable members to meet the Grand Officers and watch them exemplify the degrees of the order.

Refreshments will be served following the meeting.

Other activities of the day will include a tea for the Grand Officers at 2 p.m. at the high school. All members are welcome to attend and visit with the Grand Family.

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Artist's sketch of planned Health Center

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Fund, a committee of the American Legion and the Bethel Health Council.

The two organizations merged in August 1966 as the Bethel Health and Service Council. The by-laws of the new organization indicated a shift in objectives from being purely an emergency fund to the broader goal of assisting "whenever necessary, any type of health service and safety program in the township of Bethel and such bordering towns as are deemed to be in need."

As early as 1962 interest was expressed by numerous townspeople in attracting a doctor to the area. There were a number of efforts made and many disappointments resulted. Therefore in March of 1978 the Bethel Health and Service Council was reorganized and its name changed to the Northern Oxford Health and Service Council to incorporate a larger geographical area. The goal of establishing a community health center was accepted by the newly-elected board of trustees.

After a year of volunteer effort to find adequate space, recruit a physician and secure funds, the Health Center doors opened on Jan. 2, 1979 with part-time coverage by a doctor, a nurse practitioner and a receptionist/bookkeeper. By the fall of 1979 the Center had full-time physician coverage along with sufficient staff to be open 48 hours a week and to provide for 24-hour emergency care.

Services that are provided now include acute or ongoing health care, such as diagnosis and treatment of illnesses common lab tests, management of chronic health problems and minor orthopedic care. Preventive care is also available in the form of programs such as family planning, patient education, screening tests and physical examinations. The Center also has contracted services such as substance abuse and mental health counseling, podiatry and audiology available on designated days.

HIGGINS TO ATTEND PRINCIPAL'S ACADEMY

Carroll Higgins, assistant principal of Telstar Regional High School has been selected to attend the Maine Principal's Academy at the University of Maine at Farmington this summer. The Academy's program will focus on the leadership and management tasks of principals, providing exposure to and training in areas such as staff goal-setting, team decision-making, and school improvement strategies. Mr. Higgins will spend half his time intensively preparing in the program development realm.

The Academy meets from July 9 through July 17. Participants will return to their schools in the fall with a plan for improvement in some areas of the school's work. Three days in December cap off the Academy experience for the principals as they meet for further training and to assess progress to date on their plans. Mr. Higgins joins 23 other principals from all parts of the state at this year's Academy.

The Academy, now in its sixth year, is one of the first attempts nationwide to improve local leadership in the schools. Since 1979, 134 school principals have been involved in Academy activities, forming a nucleus of school leaders sharing practices and meeting for new training. The Maine Principal's Academy joint sponsored and funded by the Maine Elementary Principal's Association, Maine Secondary Principal's Association, University of Maine, and Department of Educational and Cultural Services. Led by principals, it has attracted national attention from groups interested in promoting excellence among school leaders.

LOCAL RESIDENT TO PARTICIPATE IN NATIONAL JIGSAW CHAMPIONSHIPS

A Bethel resident is putting his speed, dexterity and patience on the line by participating in the 1985 Hallmark National Jigsaw Championships in Athens, Ohio, Aug. 17-18.



DETERMINATION MARKS THE FACE of West Paris pitcher Trudy Hadley, who went the distance for a 3-0 victory over Bethel last Friday night.



GEORGIA GOULD hurled for the Bethel Brewsers last Friday night in a losing cause versus West Paris. The final score was 3-0.

Club notes

Rotary Club held a meeting at the Sudbury Inn on May 26. The meeting was planned to honor our newest Paul Harris Fellow, Steve Denison, and to conduct the officers for the Rotary Club. Annas and guests who participated in the meeting were a great meeting.

Monahan briefly talked about the conference in Quebec City. The Bethel club was an award for being the largest percentage of members in 1984-85. A New Club Award was also given to the club for its outstanding participation with the Bethel High School's trip of the Oxford Hills.

Continued on with the Paul Harris Fellow Steve Denison. After the reading of the Rotary International Convention, the club decided to make the presentation to Steve Denison. Ed's flamboyant presentation highly deserved of this most deserving of this congratulation him.

A number of officers was present. President Designate Joseph L. Denison, assistant officers of the Bethel club were inducted at this year's meeting. They are: Lennie Shaw, president-elect; Steve Denison, assistant president; John Head, treasurer; Dave Preble, treasurer.

President of the Four Avenues of Service: Don Eddy, guest of Steve Denison, and Sue Crane, and Steve Denison, and Mark Verville, and Bruce Powell.

Ed Quinn introduced the Rotarians and guests joining him for these special events. Bill Lowther, Bounton, Son, Wilmington, Del., Parker, Laguna Beach, California; Ed Eddy, guest of Steve Denison, and Sue Crane, and Steve Denison, and Mark Verville, and Bruce Powell.

Social Society
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le of Bethel, chairman of the Campaign Committee announced that the Bethel Society will attempt to raise \$10,000 for the Society's endowment before the Cole, retired president of the South Paris, has selected the Society's two campaigns which have \$14,000 from several individuals.

The Society since 1975, born in South Paris, Needham (Mass.) High Academy and Colgate was associated with W.J. Cole, retiring in 1982.

His activities include a Maine Savings Bank, the South Paris Kwanis and Shrine and service to the West Parish Congregational Church in Bethel. He is a former board of trustees of the Hospital where he served several fund-raising and his wife Virginia, member of the Society, live on Main Street, and are the parents of the Society.

Andrew is grandson of Jay and Melva Willard of Paradise Street, Bethel.

FOOT CARE CLINIC HELD WEEKLY AT BETHEL HOUSE

A foot care clinic is being held weekly on Friday mornings at the Bethel House on Main Street, Bethel. The service has been established by the Bethel Area Health Center. Services offered are soaking, cleaning, clipping nails, massaging, evaluating and assessing skin condition of feet. The price is \$7 per visit and appointments may be made by calling Muriel Whitney, R.N., at 824-2103. Clients are welcome to bring their own basins for the foot soak if they have them—if not, they will be available for \$3 each from the Health Center personnel at the clinic location.

Blood pressure screenings are available as a free service at the same time.



Andrew DeRoche

DeROCHE HONORED AT RUMFORD HIGH SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT

At the recent graduation exercises at Rumford High School, Andrew DeRoche, son of Mary and Wayne Corkum of Hanover, delivered the graduation address, "Who Will Sacrifice?"

During the various commencement exercises Andrew was awarded the Bausch and Lomb Science Award, DAR Good Citizen Award, Presidential Academic Fitness Award, a Certificate of Merit in Science and Math from the Society of Women Engineers, the U.S. Marine Corps Distinguished Athlete Award, Top Ten Award, Outstanding Male Student Award from Decker Studio, and the Bi-Centennial Silver Bowl award given to an outstanding social studies student. This social studies award was given in memory of Andrew's father, the late Dan DeRoche, who was a social studies teacher at Rumford High school, and the award was retired after being presented to Andrew this year.

Andrew has received scholarships from Boise Cascade, both local and national Elks, Latin Club, and a National Merit Finalist scholarship.

He will be attending Princeton University where he will major in engineering.

During his high school years he has been active in football, basketball, and baseball having been captain of both basketball and baseball, as well as Math Team, Student Council, Latin Club, and a two year member of the National Honor Society.

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Westies secure hold on 1st place

The West Paris Westies charged into sole possession of first place in the Pine Tree League with three impressive wins during the past week. Last Wednesday they beat Auburn, 4-1, on the strength of Nat Harris' two-hitter. Sunday they demolished Auburn, 22-5, before an appreciative home-field audience, with pitcher Bob Seames fanning 11. And last night (Tuesday), they edged Turner, 3-1.

In the Rumford game, Harris gave up a homerun in the first inning, but then didn't allow another hit until the sixth. Peter Blake and Rick Wing provided the firepower with homerauns for West Paris. For Blake, it was his fifth of the year, while Wing picked up his first. Mark Thurlow and Wing were the only repeat hitters.

In the 17-hit circus against Auburn, the Westies scored 10 runs in the third in a row. Four walks, five singles and a three-run homer by Levi Brown accounted for those runs.

Bob Seames took over the pitching duties from Alan Snow in the second, with the Westies trailing. Seames then proceeded to get 11 of the final 17 outs via his strikeout.

John Ladd and Nat Harris hit solo roundtrippers, while Blake and Brown had two apiece. For Blake it was his sixth and seventh homers of the season.

VERSUS AUBURN

PLAYER/POSITION	AB	R	H	RBI
Peter Blake, 2b	6	4	4	5
John Ladd, ss	5	1	1	0
Bob Seames, 1b/p	5	1	2	0
Mark Thurlow, lf	2	2	0	1
Nat Harris, 3b	2	1	1	1
Levi Brown, cf	1	1	1	0
Dick Decato, rf	1	0	0	0
Mike Ellingswood, ph	1	0	0	0
Alan Snow, p/r/b	4	3	4	2
Rick Wing, 3b/lf	4	2	2	2
Jerry Verrell, c	3	2	1	1
John Ladd, ss	3	0	0	0
Shawn Henderson, ss	1	0	0	0
TOTALS	37	22	17	19

VERSUS RUMFORD

PLAYER/POSITION	AB	R	H	RBI
Peter Blake, 2b	4	1	1	0
Mike Ellingswood, pr	0	0	0	0
Mark Thurlow, cf	4	2	2	0
Bob Seames, 1b	3	0	3	0
Dick Decato, rf	3	0	0	0
Alan Snow, lf	3	0	0	0
John Ladd, ss	2	0	0	0
Rick Wing, 3b	3	1	2	1
Jerry Verrell, c	3	0	0	0
Nat Harris, p	2	0	0	0
Shawn Henderson, pr	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	26	4	8	4

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THESE 8TH-GRADERS at the Telstar Middle School made the honor roll for all three quarters. They are: front row, left to right, Michelle Campbell, Paula Michaud, Gwen Hutchins, Buffi Taylor, Linda Taylor; back row, Jamie Blake, Jill Murphy, Nathan Bean, Mickey Monzo and Brian Colby.



7TH GRADE HONORS FOR 3 QUARTERS at the Telstar Middle School was the distinction earned by the following: front row, left to right, Kevin Davis, Stephanie Percival, Lynn Plantier, Mary Beth Hannon, Karen Davis; back row, Marlies Ouwinga, Monika Burk, Kristen Cushman, Sherry Nichols, Tracy Twitchell.

Bryant Pond

By ALICE F. HOYT

Mr. and Mrs. Elden Hathaway accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Glines attended the graduation of their grandson, Brian Hathaway, from Kennett High School, Conway, N.H., on June 14. He will attend UNH in the fall.

The Woodstock Alumni banquet was held Saturday, June 15, at Telstar Regional High School with a good attendance. Scholarships were presented to LeeAnn Coolidge, Tammy Poland, Tina Hall, Dawn Roberts, Teresa Wilbur and Alan Verrill. Officers for next year are: president, Alice Hoyt; vice president, Miriam Morgan; secretary, Sheryl Wilbur; treasurer, Verna Swan. A delicious meal was served by Hilda Brown and helpers. A few remarks were made about the building of the Woodstock High School. It was voted to hold the banquet there next year if possible.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ring, Freeport, were weekend guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Ring.

Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Jordan and Vance prepared a bountiful dinner at their home and brought it over to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harris Hathaway's, where the rest of the family were gathered for Father's Day. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Rey Jordan Jr., Nicole and Adria, Yarmouth; Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Estes and Karen, South Paris; Debbie Millett and Brian, Oxford; Lindsey and Casey Newell, West Paris; Carleton and Tricia Estes and friend, Harrison; Mr. and Mrs. Burton Hathaway, Penny and Matthew, Bryant Pond; Oliver Elliott, Waterford.

Karen Estes spent the night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harris Hathaway, recently. Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Hathaway and Mr. and Mrs. David Hathaway visited their uncle and aunt one day recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Hathaway had a lobster dinner recently with their son and wife, Burton and Carol Hathaway, their grandson Victor, Orono, and granddaughter, Tania, Portland.

Mrs. Ruth Dunham visited her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Erland Scribner, for a few days.

Franklin Grange #124 met for ladies night on Monday, June 17 with 47 people present. Officers were as follows: Master, Evelyn Bean; Overseer, Leah Deegan; Lecturer, Olive Davis; Chaplain, Ernestine Riley; Steward, Joyce Hoyt; Assistant Steward, Charlotte Cole; Lady Assistant Steward, Verna Swan; Gatekeeper, Joanne Cole; Ceres, Alice Hoyt; Pomona, Florence Gustafson; Flora, Wilma Day; CWA, Beatrice Farnum, Ruby Emery, Edith Hathaway; Executive Committee, Richard Felt, Harris Hathaway and Fred Judkins; pianist, Dot Canwell.

Olive Risko was reinstated as a member. An invitation was received to Shelburne Grange July 11 for neighbors' night. It was voted to send the lecturer to lecturers' conference. Program: song by all, "It's a Good Thing to be a Granger"; welcome to everyone. Carl Brooks got a blue ribbon from the talent show in Augusta. Joke read by Olive Davis; readings, Evelyn Bean; music by Carl Brooks, Richard Felt, Gerald Easter and Dot Canwell; reading, Alice Hoyt; piano solo, Marguerite Marcotte; poem, Olive Risko; tableau, "7 Sisters"; music by Dot Canwell and Charlotte Cole; guessing game, won by Robert Day. Several spoke briefly. The closing thought was by Olive Davis and the closing song was "Sing Your Way Home." The next meeting is July 1 with election of officers.



RESOURCE ROOM AWARD RECIPIENTS at the Telstar Middle School were: left, Anthony Stevens (Most Improved) and James Hutchinson (Teachers' Award).

High Street West Paris

By VIVA WHITMAN

Sun is shining here in Lewiston but not as much as I wish. It seems cool, but good.

Last night we all went to Mt. Ararat High School for the adult education graduation. It is good to see people getting their diplomas, even after several years of being out of school. I went to adult ed at one time, though I didn't get my diploma. It was fun to take courses that I hadn't taken in high school. I didn't get a job from going but tried and it was a pleasure to go and socialize with the others who were taking the same courses I did. I felt real good when I came out with an A average in accounting. Guess trouble was getting into my hands at that time as I couldn't write shorthand as fast as I could think it and didn't do as good as I had wished. However, I enjoyed it all and was glad at the time to see so many going back to school to get their education. It is something that can't be taken away from you, even if you don't get a chance to use it all. Hope a lot of folks keep going and making a better life for themselves. We wouldn't have gone if my daughter hadn't been teaching there this past two years and had certificates to pass out to the ones who took the clerical courses she taught. I always wished I could be a teacher and my dreams have been fulfilled by seeing Wynona get to do what I had wanted to do and couldn't. It makes me proud to see her accomplishments and I am sure she will continue to be a good teacher or director, if that was what she wanted to do. She is interested in helping others learn and that is a great requirement for a teacher.

Don't know all that is going on on High Street but will after tomorrow as I am going home. I shouldn't say that I will know everything as I don't get news from my neighbors as I wish, but will see what Russell is doing and others, too.

Peggy was home again last weekend and Peggy, Russell, Lawrence and Grace went to a cookout as Peggy's daughter and husband's camp. I went and so did Wynona and children for awhile. Pam and Cam Taylor from Bethel were there with their two

children; Myrna's daughter Lorna was there with her boy friend; also Loretta, Emerson and Jim Merrill from West Bethel. Kaye and Otto Blossey from Florida were there as they had been visiting with Myrna and Whitey while on vacation. Everyone had a good time and Whitey's chicken was a big hit as well as Myrna's garlic bread. As usual, no one had to go away hungry. The family is well-known for providing plenty to eat at a gathering and it is always good. Russell had said that Myrna, Whitey, Kaye and Otto had been up to visit one day and had stopped at some yard sales on the way. Kaye and Otto enjoy looking for antiques and have many displayed in their home in Florida. I can't blame them as I like the antiques too, but don't have the money to collect them. I learned a lot about them when I worked in the Maine Cottage store, years ago. It was quite an experience and one that I enjoyed very much.

I have been helping Nonie with housework and baby sitting with my granddaughters and will miss them all when I go home, but it is time to get back and do some work there. I have had to have lots of work done on my car while here and am thankful that I found a good place to take it. The fellows working at this garage are good mechanics and didn't take advantage of me. However, it has cost me plenty and it is not as nice when I am on a fixed income. It also makes it difficult when you know you have to have it to go to the doctor's every week. It seems one can't get ahead no matter how they try, or at least, I can't. Have done a little sewing for the children while here but most of it was for Courtney as she is the oldest and needs shorts and sun dresses. I have made her three dresses and one for the baby. Have more that needs doing, but just haven't been able to do it all as the weather has bothered me a lot and kept me from doing all that I had planned. Have to take it one day at a time and do what I can.

Heard that Josephine Tripp is in the hospital and hope she is gaining well and will do so as time goes by. I wish her well.

As I have said, I will be going home tomorrow and will call this enough for this week. Will be back and try to write about what is going on nearer home.

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MILLS REPORTS WOOD MEASUREMENT BILL PASSES

State Representative Jeff Mills (D-Bethel), a sponsor of a bill to reform the Wood Measurement Act passed in the last session of the Maine legislature, stated last week the reform bill had passed both the House and the Senate and was awaiting the signature of Governor Brennan. Mills said that the changes included in the current bill go a long way toward remedying the defects in the original legislation, and will be a help to those in western Maine involved in the wood industry. He was hopeful that the governor would sign the bill.

Additional sponsors of the wood measurement bill included Senator Donald Twitchell (D-Norway). Rep. Mills stated that he was pleased to have been able to sponsor this bill and will attempt to seek further improvements in the legislation in the next session.

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to give special thanks to Mike Hart who left from Telstar with myself and nine of the first class and above Scouts from Troop 505 on June 17, 1985 and hiked to Sand Pond in North Norway arriving back at Ray Harrington's June 21, 1985. I would also like to thank Dan Hannon and Levi Brown who joined us at Overset Pond Wednesday morning and hiked to Sand Pond and back to the Ice Caves Road where they had to leave us Thursday afternoon. Thanks to the help of these adults these Boy Scouts, John Eliot, Scott Sumner, Chris Hanscom, Brian Bachelder, Brian Hughes, Jeff Boyle, Damian Morrill, Jeremiah Bolen, and Ryan Hermer earned their 50 Miler Award and eight merit badges while in the field.

Assistant Scoutmaster
Rodney Hanscom, Jr.

CARD OF THANKS

My sincere thanks for the many cards, prayers, flowers and visits to my husband, Everett Cross while he was at Stephens Memorial Hospital and Ledgewise Nursing Home. Also for the splendid care from the nurses and doctors, especially Dr. Nangle who was always there when he needed him and to Rev. Caldwell for being so faithful. My sincere thanks to my family and friends and the Jackson-Silver Unit for all the kindness shown me since his passing; also for the many cards, prayers, visits, help in getting to the places that I needed to go. Also for the beautiful floral tributes, money donations, the delicious food that was brought in, Jackson-Silver Ptst #8 for being bearers and performing the military honors, the personnel of Andrews Funeral Home, and for so many acts of kindness, my deepest appreciation. May God bless you all.

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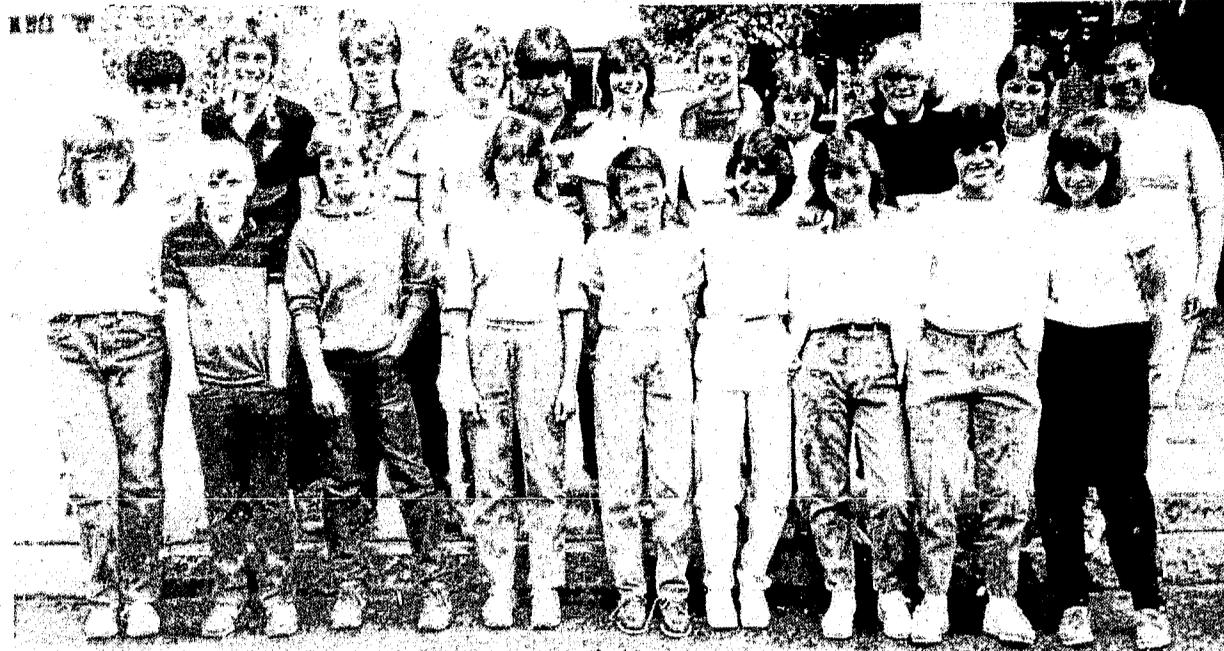
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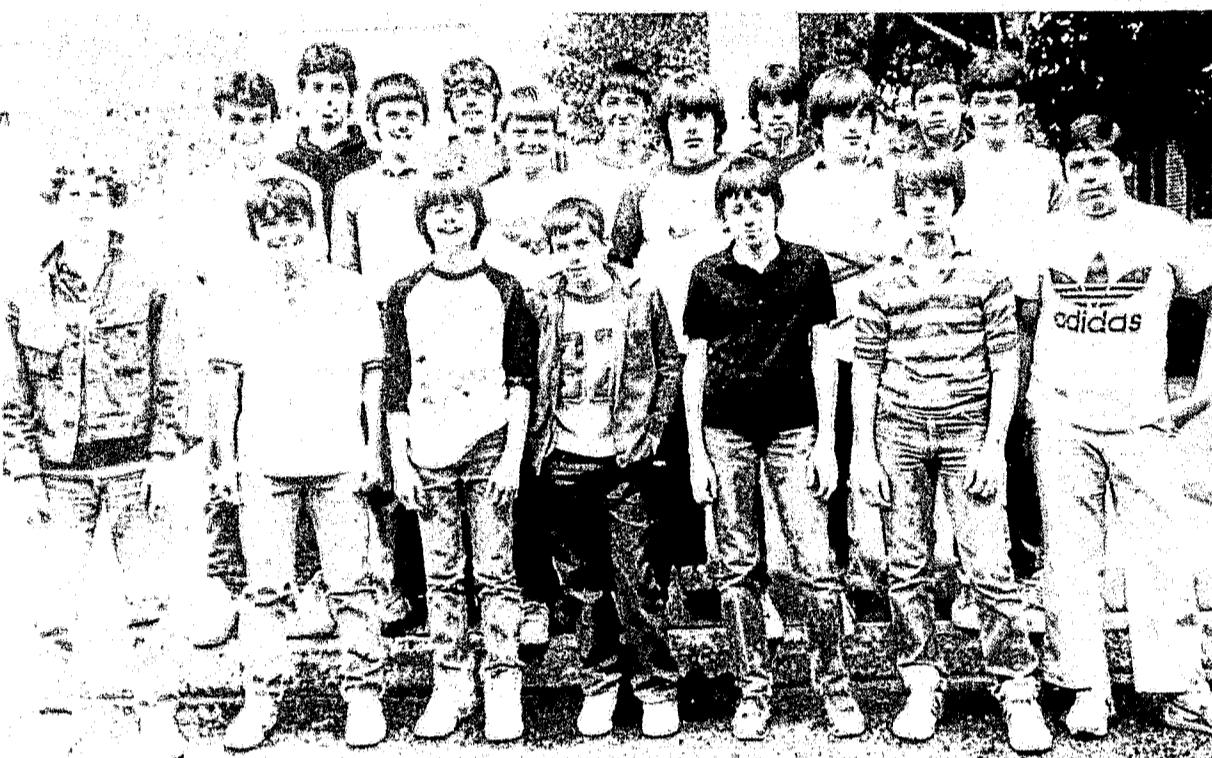
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TELSTAR MIDDLE SCHOOL SOFTBALLERS this year were: front row, left to right, Jessica Kalljian, Kelly Bartlett, Joanne Wills, Nicki Cross, Mary Beth Hannon, Angie Jordan; back row, Amy Thibodeau, Sherry Nichols, Denise Brown, Patti Jaros and Brenda Taylor.



TELSTAR MIDDLE SCHOOL TRACKSTERS received certificates at the end of the school year. They are, front row, left to right, Beth Sawyer, Kevin Davis, Paula Michaud, Linda Taylor, Audrey Thibodeau, Janina Remington, Alison Chapman, Carrie Olson, Monika Burk; back row, Becky Witter, Jamie Blake, Stan Moore, Jason Misericordi, Thad Wheeler, Jill Murphy, Tim Angevine, Tracy Twitchell, Marlies Ouwinga, Vickie Eastman and November Yates.



THE TELSTAR MIDDLE SCHOOL BASEBALL TEAM lined up for a photo at season's end. They are: front row, left to right, Mike Rainey (manager), Gary Williamson, Corey Duguay, Randy Coulombe, Brant Remington, Mike Miller, Brian Colby; second row, Joe Beauchesne, Nathan Bean, Aaron Bean, Tom James, John Eliot, Nathan Brown; back row, Ricky Roy, Chris Buckingham, Jim Merrill, Jeff Lyon and Brian Bachelder (manager).



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By OLIVE DAVIS

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outstanding achievement in drama, English and social studies; special award summa cum laude; science award; outstanding achievement in chemistry; excellence in advanced biology; Todd Memorial scholarship and Eva Bean award. He also received his letter for baseball. Alan plans to attend Atlantic Union College in Massachusetts and will take the medical technician course. He also has received the Chamber of Commerce student award.

Jenni Felt finished the sixth grade and will be going to Telstar next fall. She had some awards of achievements but due to the fact I couldn't get in touch, I'll have to omit hers. I did see her picture with Principal David Murphy as she received a plaque for the most consecutive days of school attendance (883 days). Jenni also received a letter from President Reagan, with a pin enclosed, for six years with an average of B in her school work.

We are proud of these young folks in our neighborhood and wish them well in the future. Keep up the good work and keep going in the right direction. Bless you all.

Congratulations, Bob Coolidge, on your receiving the Chamber of Commerce business award. There never was a kinder fellow to do business with, I assure you.

The road by Andrews funeral home is being put in order, ready for tarring soon.

Schools have closed for the summer vacation.

Our tame deer has been seen several times, having the run of the place. It seems good to have a little wild life around. I hope everyone will enjoy her and see that she is protected at all times. Don't drive too fast. Our moose was killed by a car last week. This one had been hanging around in my lower field, but no more.

It was reported that a big black cat-like

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animal roams in Ethel Davis' field. It has a long tail. It could have been a cat of the common kind. I don't know who reported it, but they may have been seeing double, you know.

Tuesday was a big day for the Class of '21, Bridgton Academy graduates. Ten of us met at Bean's Restaurant for a dinner and social hour with guests included. The 21ers were Helen Chute, Harrison; Gladys Knight, North Waterford; Elizabeth Saunders Young, Long Branch, N.J., who is at her cottage on Lake Christopher; Bryant Pond; Orpha Davis, Harrison; Julia Morse, who is at her camp in Waterford now, but resides in Brunswick during the winter; Olive P. Davis, West Paris. Guests were Katharine Rolfe of Bridgton, who was one of our teachers at Bridgton Academy; Miriam Sylvester Monroe,

who is at her camp on the pond, South Waterford; and Irene Matheson Barker, East Stoneham; and Katherine S. Saunders, Mt. Holly, N.J. These, also, were graduated from Bridgton, but in different classes. We enjoyed our get-together, but missed Rose, Martha, Mary and Lida who were unable to be with us. We appreciated the service received from this restaurant.

CARD OF THANKS
The family of Roy I. Cummings wishes to extend their appreciation to friends, neighbors and relatives for their support during their recent loss.

Special thanks to the Ledgeview Memorial Home, Dr. Nangle, Greenleaf Funeral Home, Masonic Lodge #97, American Legion Post #81, Mt. Abram Lodge #61, friends and neighbors.

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Gilead

By LOUISE LORING

There has been no news reported to me this past week and as far as I know people are very inactive. Again, please try to contribute to this column, if you enjoy reading it. Any items will be welcome. Call 836-3673 anytime. Thank you.

My husband took me to Lewiston Monday for a C.A.T. scan and at this date we are patiently awaiting the evaluation. Coming home we stopped in Norway for a lunch.

Kathy Sweetser helped do some things for me around here again. Thanks, Kathy.

Elaine Packard called on me recently. Anita Ferrand and the Leo Belangers had their driveways paved this past week.

School is out, vacation is here, and children's voices at play echo throughout the village.

Ralph Waldo Emerson once said, "A weed is a plant whose virtue is as yet unknown to me."

Here in Gilead, as in all New England, where summers are so very special, to plant and to harvest are the actions that symbolize our love of the earth—and in so doing creates an appreciation of nature, and instills in one a solemn commitment to preserve the natural beauty of the land upon which we dwell.

Throughout the ages "gardens" have been a special part of life for all mankind, not only for food, but for beauty, reflecting ourselves. We learn to cultivate our minds, our own spirits, our imaginations, when walking in a garden. A person's house speaks of his affluence, but a person's garden speaks of his nature.

As you enjoy your garden, you know that the time you spend "pulling the weeds" is tedious, and painstaking, but can be the sweetest moments of reflection with the "inner" you that you can spend.

Many cultures declare that a garden is a man's first and last home. The Bible's Old Testament speaks of a garden as man's beginnings and many old Indian legends speak of several gardens where a man's soul dwells in an afterlife.

So the soil, that tries to be so unyielding with its weeds, its sticks and stones, can be made to yield willingly at the harvest, with perseverance and hard labor.

Whether your "garden" grows for you in a pot on a windowsill, or a square foot of land, or several acres, it can become a spice for all your living, and a nourishment for your mind.

The song says, "I never promised you a rose garden"—but with care and love the roses bloom spontaneously and flourish in complete harmony with nature and yourself. So battle the weeds and sing—it is rewarding! And where gardens grow, people grow.

In closing, a quote from Henry David Thoreau, "Am I not partly leaves and vegetable mold myself?"

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**'ART AS A LIVING' IS
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"Art As a Living," a school-based project at Telstar Middle/Regional High School, has been announced as the recipient of an innovative educational grant from the state of Maine for the 1985-86 school year. Superintendent of Schools Dewaine Craig was notified of the award on June 10 by Education Commissioner Robert Boose, and received further word early last week that the project will be funded in the amount of \$11,300 with the state share being \$6,100 and the local in-kind match being \$5,129. The innovative educational grants are the result of the 1984 Education Reform Act and are designed to encourage creative responses to identified educational needs. "Art As a Living" was one of only 44 projects selected in the recent cycle of funding out of 107 applications.

The "Art As a Living" project will bring a series of local artisans and craftspeople into classes at Telstar during the 1985-86 school year to demonstrate the skills which contribute all or part of their livelihood. The program, designed by Telstar faculty members David Tripp and Tim Kavanagh, and Adult and Community Education Director Cathy Newell, will promote an awareness and an appreciation of local talents on the part of students, foster closer school-community ties, and expand the scope of existing art and graphic arts classes. Visiting artists will be included throughout the year, and there will be a residency program during Career Week in April. The project will conclude in May with a major exhibit of the work of visiting artists and of students involved in the program. The grant will make possible the purchase of needed supplies and equipment.

The "Art As a Living" planning team was composed of Mr. Tripp, Mr. Kavanagh, and Mrs. Newell, with assistance from Telstar Principal Ted Davis, Superintendent Craig, Dr. Stanley Howe of the SAD #4 Board of Directors, and State Representative Jeff Mills. Mrs. Newell was the author of the grant application.

No. East Lovell

By PAULINE SMITH

Edith Holt visited neighbors in Slab City this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith and Ada Mala had dinner with Donald and Carolyn Knights Saturday evening.

The United Church of Christ was nearly full Sunday. There were 10 in the choir.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Littlefield celebrated their 50th anniversary at the church Sunday afternoon at a party put on by their family. Mrs. Littlefield (Gladys) cooks and gives away many whole meals to those who need it. Gladys and Bob carry a good many people to the doctors or shopping thus helping many out.

Some of the Brad Crosby family were here at their camp at Cushman Pond Brook this weekend.

Margaret Weeks took Pauline Smith and her cat to the veterinary in Bethel Monday. Margaret is a good neighbor.

Robert Johnston helped on Leroy Smith's wood this week.

Arline Merrill took Pauline Smith and Ada Mala shopping in North Conway one day recently.

Dot and Buster Smith were recent visitors at Leroy Smith's.

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THE ORGANIZERS OF THE "Art as a Living" program are, left to right, Tim Kavanagh, Ted Davis, Cathy Newell and David Tripp.

Northwest Bethel

By CLARICE GIBSON

First day of summer and also the longest. So many of the flowers have burst into blossoms the last two weeks. Daisies, bridle wreath, irises, peonies, my favorite roses and the mums we put in the garden are just beautiful as well as many others too numerous to mention. Mama Robin has hatched out her babies but am not sure how many but can see little heads peering over the edge of their nest.

Joyce Stearns saw a mother moose and her two babies coming home the other night.

Wilfred came home Friday to move his belongings to his apartment on Winter Street in Norway. Frankie and Teresa came Friday and spent the night. Ira came home Saturday and Sunday Ira, George, Frankie and Teresa went for a ride to Fryeburg, where I understand they went up Hurricane Mountain, went to Conway, had dinner, and came back through the Notch. This left Frank to sleep as the day was lowery and not too good to work outdoors.

The 18th Frankie came and he and I rode to my folks in South Paris. My sister, Marion Tucker, Readfield, was there so we had a good visit. Mom took me in Norway to do some shopping.

Ernest and Alberta Angevine came the 19th to look at the movies we had taken when we had gone to Newfoundland. Hope it comes so we can go again someday.

After Richard's graduation Pat and Richard had a get-together at their home. Those attending were: Nancy Howard, Roberta and David Hunt; Robert Saunders, Marlboro, Mass.; Eleanor Morton, Newry; Peter Morton, Portland; Jock Morton and Chris; Kenneth Saunders, Gorham, N.H.; Mr. and Mrs. Everett Saunders and son, Michael, New York. Richard went back with his father, Everett Saunders and family, to work with his father in his business.

Dick, Sue, Kristy and Tim Angevine, had an after graduation get-together at their home. Attending were Kristy's parents, Ernest and Alberta Angevine, Kristy's great-aunt Lucy Robbins, and Lucy's granddaughter, Lori McKinney, and Dick and Mary Ellen McInnis of Rumford.

Judy Coolidge and her second grade class went to Rumford Animal Farm, the last week of school.

Mr. and Mrs. Kent Taylor left Friday evening to go to Laconia, N.H., for the motorcycle get-together, motorcycle racing at Loudon, N.H., and a swap meet at Weir's Beach. They came back Sunday.

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Homer Smith and Edie had for dinner Father's Day, Doug, Adam, Bruce, Andy and Dennis Smith and Lisa Doeden. Kerry Smith telephoned from Newburyport, Mass. Christine Smith Bachelder called in the morning from Conyers, Ga., and her husband Donny called later in the day.

Frank and Sylvia Benson had their daughter and granddaughter, Sharon and Chantel Kimball, come Wednesday morning. Sylvia Gardner and a friend from Sabattus, came Sunday. Brad Benson, Poland, stopped in Sunday and Monday. Frank Benson, Jr., Augusta, called Father's Day.

Ernest and Avery Angevine and Jimmy Knight went on a fishing trip to northern Maine for a few days. They visited the Lumbermen's Museum at Patten. Not too many fish but saw two mother bears and five cubs, one moose, 18 deer, and many rabbits.

Sue Angevine took Alberta to bacalureate services at Telstar. Friday night, Ernest and Alberta Angevine, Vicki, Judy, and family went to watch Krisztina graduate.

Betty Blake and Alberta Angevine went to Rumford Point Thursday to see their cousin, Clara Elliott, and friend, Claudia Pellass. Friday, Alberta went with the third grade class to North Conway, N.H., where they rode the train to Conway and back. Sarah Coolidge, Dawn Seames and Jennifer Mason, were third graders from our road who went.

Friday evening Eva Dalton and Louis Angevine from North Weymouth, Mass., visited their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Angevine.

Rev and Mrs. Elwin Angevine spent the day Friday with his sister, Myrtle and Leslie Lapham.

Dr. Leonard Shaw was at an optometrist's meeting in Bar Harbor, Friday, Saturday and Sunday. From Thursday to Sunday, Becky, Jon and Jeni, were in Plattsburgh, N.Y., to visit Becky's twin sister, Rachel. Monday night Peter and Debbie Levy of Santa Barbara, Calif., stayed with the Shaws and left Tuesday.

Ronnie, Pauline and Justin Gilbert came Father's Day to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Gilbert's.

All six of Charlie Mason's children visited at different times on Father's Day.

John Laban's uncle, Alden Colvocres and grandson of Virginia are spending time at the Laban farm. Matthew Laban has been fishing with the visitors.

Father's Day, Billy, Dan, Shany, Justin and Jody Shimamura had a combined barbecue for Father's Day and Thelma Merrill's 76th birthday. Jolene

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Locke Mills

By LORRAINE MILLS

Charlotte Cole has been doing some painting on her house. She was finally able to have her ulcerated tooth out and is feeling much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert DeNormandie celebrated their 38th anniversary June 21. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Weisner also celebrated their 44th anniversary the same day and they all went out to Sheepscot, for supper.

Mrs. John Mills and Mrs. Gerry Shimamura hosted a housewares party Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Mills. Mrs. Thelma Merrill and Mrs. Roy were also present as well as the demonstrator, Ellen Bernier.

Eric and Karen Paul have been camping on Charlotte Cole's camp lot for two weeks and hosted a gathering of family and friends Saturday.

Mrs. Lorraine Mills and Mrs. Ann Roy attended a baby shower for Elayna Tate at the home of Mrs. Barbara Lewis, West Bethel, Thursday evening.

Susan Cole and Michael Parker are receiving congratulations on their marriage on June 23 at the Locke Mills Union Church.

Reminder: The old time dance will be at the town hall on June 29 from 8-12.

Music will be furnished by Dot Canwell, Richard Felt, Elden Hathaway and Johnny Howe. The fiddler is from Naples and her name is Yvonne Adams.

There will be no meeting of the Greenwood Historical Society in July.

The town offers its sincerest sympathy to the Roberts family on the loss of Lee Roberts last week.

Stan Seames was admitted to Stephens Memorial Hospital Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mills were in Norway Friday evening where they visited

his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Mills, and Mrs. Mills saw Mary Rebecca Lawrence, new daughter of Don and Becki (Cobb) Lawrence, and Jolene and Jody Shimamura's 4 lb., 5 oz. son at Stephens Memorial Hospital. It is surprising the difference three pounds can make in an infant when comparing the seven plus pounds of the Lawrences' girl and the Shimamuras' boy.

Reminder: Greenwood Fire Department will be hosting a plastic ware party at 10 a.m. Thursday, June 27, at the fire station to benefit the fire relief fund.

Mr. and Mrs. James Libby and family have come from Bangor to attend the wedding of her sister, Susan Cole, One of the Libby's daughters was a flower girl.

Joe and Cindy Gross, Troy and Kelly, are spending the week camping in the Allagash region.

Mary Beth Bowen who did her student teaching in this area and a recent graduate of the University of Maine at Farmington's bachelor of science program, has accepted the second grade teaching position at the Vickory School in Pittsfield. While doing her student teaching Mary Beth lived with Mr. and Mrs. Durham of Locke Mills.

Locke Mills Union Church News

Church practices have been changed to Wednesday evenings at the home of Bev Melville.

The Ladies Circle meeting, June 19, was attended by 15 members and two guests. The summer sale (July 19) was discussed. There will be a set-up day July 17 instead of a meeting. All helpers will be welcomed. Set-up starts at 10 a.m. Bring a bag lunch. Sick members in the circle and the community were remembered. Members having July birthdays were remembered with cake and ice cream.

W. Greenwood

By CAROLYN M. COLBY

Joe and Muriel Gilbert were in Lewiston on Thursday. Joe met his son, Jimmy, and grandson, Donnie of Westbrook at Otter Pond for fishing on Saturday. Jean and Al Collet of North Windham visited on Saturday also.

Cys Clark, Litchfield, Conn., spent a weekend with her daughter, Leslie Moore, and family. On Monday Leslie, Nathan, Jennie and Cys enjoyed a picnic at Nancy and Dan Grovers' in Mason to celebrate the end of school and the beginning of summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Millett, Winthrop, visited Irene Wilson Monday.

Our sympathy is extended to the family of Charlie Lowe who died at Togus on Wednesday.

We saw a deer cross the road and bound away across the field to the brook. That's the first one I've seen around here in many years.

Rev. Michael Caldwell will be leaving the Union Church after his July 28 service to study in Pastoral Counseling. There will be a Godspeed Service at the church July 21 from 5:00-6:00. Following the service, at the parsonage there will be a potluck picnic for all from 6:00-8:00.

The trustees of the church have contracted with Mrs. Silver Leaman of Poland to be the interim minister. She will begin getting acquainted with the congregation in August and will be the worship leader starting Sunday, Sept. 1.

Office hours will be held 8:30 to noon on the following dates: Wednesday, July 3; Friday, July 5; Wednesday, July 10; Thursday, July 11; Friday, July 12; Friday, July 26. Appointments will be available at other times.

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Charles E. Lowe of Bethel died Wednesday night, June 19, 1985, at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Togus.

He was born in Bethel on March 27, 1916, the son of Alden A. and Rose G. McFall Lowe. Educated in the Bethel schools, Mr. Lowe graduated in 1931 from Gould Academy. He was self-employed as a woodsmen for most of his life, retiring five years ago. Mr. Lowe was a U.S. Army Air Force veteran of World War II. He served as a technical sergeant with the 20th Bombardment Squadron H in Italy. He was awarded the air medal with two oak leaf clusters and the distinguished unit badge. Mr. Lowe was a former member of the Mundt-Alen Post #61, American Legion, Bethel.

Survivors include one brother, Robert, of Bethel; and two sisters, Mrs. Mary Foster of Dixfield, and Mrs. Helen Kraul of Portland.

A Mass of Christian Burial was said Saturday morning at Our Lady of the Snows Church, Bethel, with Rev. Donald Proulx officiating. Interment was at the Pine Grove Cemetery, West Bethel. Serving as bearers were James R. Lowe, Philippe Rolfe, Richard Benedict, and Karl Kraul.

WILMONT W. HERRICK

Wilmont W. Herrick of Mechanic Falls died Friday, June 21, 1985, at the Central Maine Medical Center, Lewiston.

Born in Rumford on Feb. 6, 1908, he was the son of Walter W. and Ethel Bragdon Herrick. Mr. Herrick moved to Mechanic Falls as young man and attended schools there. At 16 he went to work in the Waterfalls Tissue Co., and later worked for Ponda Tissue Co., in the foundry at J.W. Penney and Sons, Pennco Manufacturing Co., and at W.H. Scammon Co. from which he retired in 1973. A member of the Mechanic Falls Fire Department for 32 years and retired assistant chief, Mr. Herrick belonged to the Tri-Town Senior Citizens and had been a member of the Maine National Guard.

Survivors include his wife, the former Georgia Anna Crockett whom he married Nov. 20, 1937; 10 sons, Robert W., Scarborough, Wilmont Jr. and Thomas W., both of Mechanic Falls; Chester A. Sr., West Bethel; Albert R., Bethel; Wayne A., Augusta; Donald L., North Carolina; Charles W., Ronald E. and David J., all of Oxford; three daughters, Mrs. Jeannette E. Kimball, West Bethel; Mrs. Janice A. Biardi, Mechanic Falls; and Mrs. Patricia Hall, Locke Mills; a sister, Mrs. Addie Bonney, Mechanic Falls; 25 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon from the Raymond funeral home, Mechanic Falls, with interment at Maple Grove Cemetery, Mechanic Falls.

GORDON S. COFFIN

Gordon S. Coffin of Norway died Friday, June 21, 1985, at the Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway.

Born in Gilead on April 20, 1914, the son of Earl and Lucia Ann Peabody Coffin, he attended schools in Gilead. Mr. Coffin had resided in Norway since 1924, graduated from Norway High School in 1933 and attended the University of Maine at Orono. A veteran of service with the U.S. Army during World War II, he was a member of the Floyd Harlow Jr. VFW Post in Norway and had been employed at Packard Oil Co. and Andrews Fuel Co.

Survivors include his wife, the former Frances (Ellen) M. Burns whom he married in 1951; of Norway; a daughter, Jean Vares, College Park, Ga.; and a brother, Robert Coffin, Tucson, Ariz.

Graveside services were held Monday morning at the Riverside Cemetery in South Paris with Pastor Ivan Hatch officiating.

DAN KRAFT

Dan Kraft, formerly of Andover, died June 14, 1985 in Huntington, L.I., N.Y. Memorial services were held Wednesday, June 19, in Westminster, Mass.

GILLIES HAS \$1,500 IN PLEDGES FOR "TREK ACROSS MAINE"

Gordon Gillies has raised over \$1,500 in pledges for his participation in the Maine Lung Association's "Trek Across Maine," which begins Friday at Telstar. Starting time is 10 a.m.

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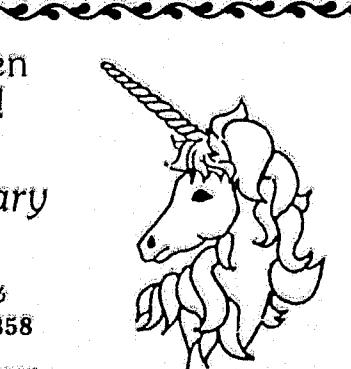
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**Bethel Library notes****No Overdue Fines During July!!**

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Helen Morton's beautiful artwork is on display—come and view all of her paintings of flowers and local scenes.

New books at the library this month: How to Be a Gifted Parent by David Lewis; Wonders of the Sea by Robert Burton; The Illustrated Encyclopedia of the Old West by Peter Newark; The Trap by Tabitha King; The Blood of Abraham by Jimmy Carter; Breaking with Moscow by Arkady N. Shevchenko; Agatha Christie: A Biography by Janet Morgan; A Creed for the Third Millennium by Colleen McCullough, and many books for young readers.

Don't forget to save old books for the library's Mollycoddle Day book sale. Any donations from the public will be gratefully accepted. The library will also be having a white elephant table this year, so if you have any "white elephants" call to arrange for pick-up.

**FUND RAISING MEETING
HELD FOR HEALTH CENTER**

A meeting of interested people was held recently to discuss further plans on fund-raising for the Bethel Area Health Center.

Chairperson Carolyn Holden introduced Shirley Powell, executive director of the Health Center. Mr. Powell presented an overview of the family services that are now available at the center. She then presented an outline of what services could be available when the renovation of the new facility is completed.

The meeting then broke up into sub-committees to discuss different phases of the fund-raising campaign.

Mollycoddle Day, Saturday, July 20, will be the kick-off date. Many special events are planned for that day. Vicki Rackliffe will be in charge of the annual frog-jumping contest and this year many other events are being planned. Watch the papers for further information and join in a day of fun for health.

**ATV REGISTRATION PERIOD
EXTENDED TO AUG. 31**

Fish and Wildlife Commissioner Glenn H. Manuel has stated that all-terrain vehicle registrations due to expire June 30, 1985, will be honored until Aug. 31, 1985. Administrative problems with the registration system required the change.

Manuel said that game wardens will not initiate court action between July 1 and Aug. 31 for not renewing an ATV registration. The State Police has notified all law enforcement agencies to follow a similar course of action.

However, any ATV not registered will still be subject to court action, Manuel said.

The fee for registering ATVs was increased \$2 by the Maine Legislature. The new fee is \$7.

Manuel encourages all ATV owners to send in renewal forms and fees as soon as possible after receiving the form and not wait until the grace period is nearly over, to avoid delays in receiving the registrations.

CARD OF THANKS

The 1985 Bethel women's softball team wishes to thank area sponsors for their support of the first women's softball team to represent the Bethel area. With a sensational record thus far of three wins and one loss, the team urges sponsors and other interested people to come out and watch the team's next home game, Thursday, July 10, against Margot's of Norway. All home games are played at Telstar's upper athletic field and begin at 6:30. Our sponsors are,

Charlie's Place, Prim's, Charlie's Chevron, The Only Place, Bob's Corner Store, Dave Brown Construction, Fred Meader Construction, and Douglass' Bed and Breakfast.

BORN

In Norway, June 15, to Martha and Donnie Katlin of Bethel, a son, Eben Parsons Katlin.

In Norway, June 20, to Mr. and Mrs. Don Lawrence (Becky Cobb) of Bryant Pond, a daughter, Mary Rebecca.

In Norway, June 21, to Mr. and Mrs. Jody Shimamura of Bethel, a son.

MARRIED

In Togus, June 19, Charles E. Lowe of Bethel, aged 70 years.

In Norway, June 21, Gordon S. Coffin of Norway, native of Gilead, aged 71 years.

In Lewiston, June 21, Wilmont W. Herrick of Mechanic Falls, aged 77 years.

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